HB3186

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB3186

by Rep. Anna Moeller

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

40 ILCS 5/2-156   from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 2-156

Amends the General Assembly Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that none of the benefits under the General Assembly Retirement System shall be paid to any person who is charged with any felony relating to or arising out of or in connection with his or her service as a member. Provides that if a person so charged is found not guilty or otherwise not convicted of the felony, his or her rights to benefits under the System shall be restored, including interest on any benefit that was delayed. Effective immediately.

FISCAL NOTE ACT
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A BILL FOR

1   AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

2   **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**

3   **represented in the General Assembly:**

4   Section 5. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by changing

5   Section 2-156 as follows:

6   (40 ILCS 5/2-156) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 2-156)

7   Sec. 2-156. Felony conviction. None of the benefits herein

8   provided for shall be paid to any person who is charged with or

9   convicted of any felony relating to or arising out of or in

10   connection with his or her service as a member. If a person so

11   charged is found not guilty or otherwise not convicted of the

12   felony, his or her rights to benefits under this System shall

13   be restored, including interest on any benefit that was delayed

14   under this Section.

15   This Section shall not operate to impair any contract or

16   vested right acquired prior to July 11, 1955 under any law or

17   laws continued in this Article, nor to preclude the right to a

18   refund.

19   All participants entering service subsequent to July 11,

20   1955 shall be deemed to have consented to the provisions of

21   this Section as a condition of participation.

22   (Source: P.A. 83-1440.)

1   Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon

2   becoming law.